A Special in Women's Raincoats,

The wisely economical woman will start the new year right if she buys one of these Raincoats. They're very low in price, & all indications point to their being needed this month.

Brilliantine, in black, brown, navy & dark gray, over-Vulcanized cloth. Buttoned to the neck; stitched straps over the shoulders. Extra good

Match Sets 29c to 39c Embroideries, 19cd

Swiss Edges and Insertions, 2 to 6 inches wide. They're part of a special shipment of Embroideries we received a few days ago to sell under price. Miller & Rhoads is undoubtedly the greatest Embroidery

Day in and day out you'll find the stocks complete in variety, quality and quantity.

HUNGRY PATIENT TROOPS FROM CUBA WENT FOR FOOD PASS HERE TO-DAY

Nine-Year-Old Couldn't Stand Three Special Trains Will Carry Liquid Diet, So He Walked to Swansboro.

store in the South.

Either dissatisfied with a liquid diet, or else unwilling to lie alone on a cot in the free ward of the Memorial Hospital, John Henry Mills, colored nime years old, just after a nurse had feed him a bowl of milk, crept sliently which has been stationed in Cuba with from his cot in the basement of the hospital at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and nurses and superintendent were puzzled to know where he had gone.

It was four hours after his disappearance that his father, Madison Mills, of Swansboro, leading his son by the hand, appeared at the hospital door and asked that he be taken back. John Got troops of the regiment, together with the families of some of the officers, and an observation car.

These trains of the Chesa-six hours and ten minutes through Richmond to-day with the southbound trains of the southbo

respectively, and in these will be the and asked that he be taken back. John Henry, even though his flesh burned with fever, resulting from a gunshot wound which had caused the loss of his right eye, had walked five miles to his home beyond Manchester.

Exactly how the little negro got away without being seen is a mystery, but it is believed that he left soon after his morning meal. He got out of bed, put on his trousers and coat, and with his injured eye bandaged, sneaked away. A vigorous search was instituted, but it seemed until the father brought him back that the boy had dropped from the face of the earth.

John Henry came to the hospital Sunday, and an operation for the removal of his eye was performed. He had suffered intensely, and was in a weakened condition at the time of his escapade yesterday. Madison Mills, the father, promised the boy a good whipping if he repeated his attempt to escape, and in view of threats the patient has promised to stay at the Magistrate of the patient has promised to stay at the Magistrate of the regiment, together with the families of some of the regiment, together with the families of some of the cogh. These troops of the regiment, together with the families of some of the cogh. These troops will arrive at Newport News this morning on the United States from the United States of the first to leave Cuba. Others will delate have in first to leave Cuba. Others will delate have the false for many transport Sumner, being the first to leave Cuba. Others will delate have false for many transport Sumner, being the first to leave Cuba. Others will delate have false for many transport Sumner, being the first to leave Cuba. Others will delate have false for many transport Sumner, sumner, several other regiments of life for many transport Sumner. Several other regiments of loss are from the face of the dearth.

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START FOR SOUTH

Seaboard and Atlantic Coast Line Florida Specials Go Through on Schedule Time.

CARRY MAIL TO SOME POINTS

Finest Pullman Equipment Provided for New Service During Winter Months.

o'clock every night except Sunday.

The first northbound train from Florida for New York on this line will arrive here to-morrow morning at 7:22 o'clock, and after that date northbound trains will pass through Rich-mond at that hour every day except

Twenty-Eighth United States Infantry to Minnesota.

WIRELESS STATIONS

IN VIRGINIA CITIES

Richmond to Have Service With Many Points in Competition With Regular Wire Lines.

According to the January "Aerogram," a magazine published in the interest of wireless itelgraphy, the Lastern operating department of the United Wireless Telegraph Company has placed an order for 250 complete sets of wireless instruments, which will be installed at stations to be established in Richmond, Newpert News, Norfolk Sulface, and the court held that since they will stations will be established in Richmond, Newpert News, Norfolk Sulface, In the near future the Western operating department of the United Company will establish a number of cities cast of the Mississippi, River, In Virginion, Newpert News, Norfolk Sulface, In the near future the Western operating department of the United Company will establish a number of cities cast of the Mississippi, River, In Virginion, Newpert News, Norfolk Sulface, In the near future the Western operating department of the United Company will establish a number of cities cast of the Mississippi, River, In Virginion, Newpert News, Norfolk Sulface, In the near future the Western operating department of the United Company will establish a number of cities cast of the Mississippi, As rapidly as these stations are completed they will stokes alias Charles Smith, In the near future the Western operating department of the United Company will establish a number of stations in the States and territories west of the Mississippi, As rapidly as these stations are completed they will stokes alias Charles, Schedules, Schedules, And Schedules, Schedules,

INVITE COTTON MEN

TOURIST TRAINS REV. BERRYMAN GREEN DECLINES TO SERVE AS BISHOP COADJUTOR

Tells Bishop Gibson He Prefers to Stay in Humble Rank as Teacher of Bible.

The Times 12 Bispalch

WILL ELECT HIS SUCCESSOR

Episcopal Council to Be Called Later to Name High Officer

Winter Months.

New York and Florida limited vestibuled trains of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad and the Atlantic Coast Line Railway passed through Richmond last night bound South. With these trains the two companies inaugurated their annual tourist service between New York and Florida resorts.

The Seaboard Air Line train arrived here at \$1.30 o'clock, stopping just long enough to take on five passengers from Richmond who are going to Florida. The train left New York at 12:25 o'clock tyesterday aftornoon, and is due to arrive at St. Augustine at 2:25 o'clock tyesterday aftornoon, making the run of 1,077 miles in twenty-five hours and fifty-five minutes. Hereafter a Southbound Seaboard train will pass through Richmond at \$2:30 o'clock every night except Sunday.

The first northbound train from

Alexandria.

Why He Declined.

In his letter to Bishop Gibson, Mr. Green said:
"I wish to express again through you my deep appreciation of the great honor conferred on me by the Council of Virginia in electing me bishop cond-

bound trains will pass through Richmond at that hour every day except Monday.

Coast Line Came Later.

The Atlantic Coast Line train arrived at 11:23 o'clock last night, leaving for the South ten minutes later. It left New York at 2:10 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and is due in St. Augustine at 4:20 o'clock this afternoon. This makes a total of twenty-six hours and ten minutes for the runging later. The southbound trains on this line will pass through Richmond at 11:23 P. M. every day except Sunday. The first northbound train over the Coast Line will arrive here at 6:58 o'clock to-morrow morning, and thereafter they will be run daily except Monday.

These trains are among the most manificent in the country, each being made up entirely of handsome Pullman cars. The Seaboard train is composed of a club and baggage car combined, a dining car, three sleeping cars and an observation car.

On the Coast Line trains are a draw—the Monday of the paper of this diecese. For more than two weeks I have given the mitter fund prayerful consideration, and I believe firmly I am guided to decline this high office of the church. "I am convinced that my work for the present at least is here at the semilarity, trying to interpret and defend the Bible to the young men who are to go out and preach the gospel of our the present at least is here at the semilarity, trying to interpret and defend the Bible to the young men who are to go out and preach the gospel of our the present at least is here at the semilarity, trying to interpret and defend the Bible to the young men who are to go out and preach the gospel of our the present at least is here at the semilarity to interpret and defend the Bible to the young men who are to go out and preach the gospel of our the present at least is here at the semilarity to interpret and defend the Bible to the young men who are to go out and prayerd where I could serve the present at least is here at the semilarity to a world of growing indifference and skepticism. I have careful and prayerful consid

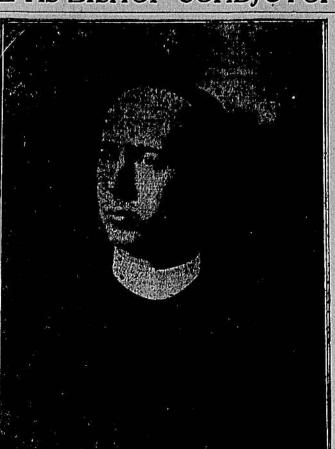
bined, a dining car, three sleeping cars and an observation car.

On the Coast Line trains are a drawing room car, compartment sleeping cars, a club car, dining car and library and observation car. All are lighted by electricity and are steam heated. The electric current is generated by when the prothound and southbound trains will pick up mail pouches handled as express at the larger cities of the lines. The Seaboard trains take the pouches at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Richmond, Camden, Savannah and Jacksonville. The Coast Line trains take pouches at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Columbia, Charleston and Jacksonville.

Colonel W. G. Coleman, general travelling passenger agent of the Seaboard, arrived on the vestibuled train last night. It is the custom of, this read to send its passenger agents out from New York with the first four terms at a submit to this will." To Elect His Successor.

to elect a bishop coadjutor, although it was said that a date would probably be announced within the next few days. Mr. Green was elected on December 16th. He was given time to consider if, and while he naturally regards his election as a distinguished honor, he will continue to serve his church as professor of English Bible in the seminary.

Many names will be presented to the next Council.



REV. BERRY MAN GREEN.

NEWPORT NEWS GIRL HELD HERE MORAL, SAYS JUDGE

Only Six Arrests During Holidays for Drunkenness-Puts Record Against World.

MR. BASS KNOCKED DOWN

forse Driven by Rev. Dr. Ramsay Steps Him and Wheel Passes Over His Body. Mr. W. T. Bass was knocked down on dain Street yesterday morning by a horse triven by the Rev. D. M. Ramssay D. D., pastor of the Grace Street Baptist Main Street yesterday morning by a horse driven by the Rev. D. M. Ramsay. D. D., pastor of the Grace Street Baptist Church. The horse stepped on Mr. Bass's face, knecking out two teeth, and a wheel of the vehicle passed over his body. He was taken into a nearby drug store, where he was taken into a nearby drug store, where he was trated by Dr. Carr, of the city ambulance, who afterwards took him home.

The accident was entirely unavoidable. Dr. Ramsay did not see Mr. Bass, and Mr. Bass did not see the approaching vehicle, Hic injuries are not regarded as serious.

Mystery About Identity of Lily Bayard Causes Police to Be Suspicious.

Police Justice J. D. G. Brown, of Newport News, who made Walter Tkelly famous, or who was made famous by Kelly—neither has yet satisfied himself as to the correct status of the situation—declares that Newport News, is the most moral and best regulated city in the State, "If all the cities were like Newport News," said Justice Brown yesterday, the Anti-Saloon League would most probably not be so active. At all events it would have less work to do During the entire week of the Christmas until the day after New Year's, only six arrests for drunkenness were made."

"Folice on a vacation or just taking a nap," the justice was asked.

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BUT ONE HOG HERE AND HE'S A PRIZE

Richmond Has That and Only 657 Watches on Which Tax to State Is Paid.

MANY QUEER FIGURES, TOO

Sixty-Eight Cows Keep Town Supplied With Milk-Auditor's Report Is About Ready.

Report Is About Ready.

The annual report of the Auditor of Public Accounts for the year ended September 30, 1908, is expected from the printer within the next few days, and it will show some interesting facts concerning the fiscal affairs of the State during that period.

Owing largely to the fact that the last Legislature increased the income tax exemption from \$600 to \$1,000 there is a net falling off in this item of \$27.679.92 as compared with the amount assessed on incomes in 1907.

Here are the figures by cities and counties for the two years respectively: Cities, 1907, \$98,344.50; cities, 1908, \$78,741.04, loss \$15,603.46. Counties, 1907, \$33,838.59; counties, 1907, \$33,838.59; counties, 1908, \$16,741.04, loss \$15,603.46. Aggregate loss in counties and cities, \$27,679.92.

Although there is a falling off in the assessment upon incomes, as shown, above, nearly all other sources of revenue will show substantial increases, in other words, there is a net gain over 1907 of \$72,197.79, after deducting the loss on the item of incomes. Here are the gains that will be shown on the following items, respectively: Real estate, \$54,097.98; capitation, \$20,900.50; personal property, \$24,879.23; total, \$39,877.71. The difference between this amount and the incoma tax lcss makes a net gain of over \$72,000, as shown above. These figures between this amount and the incoma tax lcss makes a net gain of over \$72,000, as shown above. These figures between this amount and the incoma tax lcss makes a net gain of over \$72,000, as shown above. These figures between this amount and the incoma tax lcss makes a net gain of over \$72,000, as shown above. These figures between this amount and the incoma tax lcss makes a net gain of over \$72,000, as shown above. These figures the taxes assessed against public service corporations, or for various kinds of licenses.

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The personal property table is full of interest. It shows that only sixty-eight head of cattle are assessed in Richmond, while Roanoke heads the list among the cities with 725. Richmond has 2,538 horses and mules and one hog. It is not shown, of course, who owns him, but he is valued by the Commissioner of the Revenue at \$125. Richmond fails behind again on watches, only 657 being reported, while Roanoke shows up with 3,405. There is a similar discrepancy between the

turned over to Dr. Buchanan to await developments.

Since she has been confined at the Ballard building the girl has been frequently questioned about her past history, and all that is positively known is that her father is an inmate of the Soldiers' Home in Phoebus. She claims to have brothers living in New York and Cincinnati, but letters to the addresses given have not been answered, and her stories are discredited. Similarly and the stories are dis MOCTINETS FOLID

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